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I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled <u>3D COMPUTER GRAPHICS PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD</u>, the specification of which is attached hereto X was filed on <u>December 23</u>, <u>1999</u>, as Application No. <u>09/471, 363</u> and as amended to date.

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